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CORONER PROBING WOMAN'S DEATH

MRS. MARY ROGERS FOUND DEAD NEAR BED EARLY TODAY BY THREE CHILDREN

BULLETIN

An autopsy to ascertain the cause of death of Mrs. Mary Rogers, 784 Eleventh street is being conducted by Drs. U. S. Abbott, Irwin B. March and C. L. Abbott.

Puzzling are the circumstances surrounding the finding at an early hour this morning of the dead body of Mrs. Mary Rogers, 30 years of age at her home, 784 Eleventh street by her three baby children.

Although nothing in or about the room showed traces of poison, the coroner's office is inclined to believe death to have resulted from an unnatural cause.

Mrs. Rogers was recently divorced from her husband, T. J. Rogers, a pipefitter employed at the Standard Oil refinery. She is the daughter of M. Rogers and had resided in this city for seven years.

"NOT GUILTY" JURY VERDICT FOR THEFT

MARTINEZ, April 11.—But twelve minutes were required for the jury to bring in a verdict of "not guilty" last night in the trial of the De Martini case, involving the taking of some $5400 from the San Ramon Valley bank's branch at Danville last fall.

A night session of court was held, and the case brought to a quick finish. W. F. Tinning for the defense, and District Attorney Thomas D. Johnston for the state, took but an hour and a half each to sum up.

INJURED WOMAN IS WELL KNOWN HERE

Mrs. Belle Brooks, wife of a Walnut Creek rancher, injured on the foothill boulevard Sunday when a fractious horse leaped into a machine in which she was riding is well known to members of Richmond lodge of Elks having entertained them at the Brooks hacienda on several occasions.

Mrs. Brooks is at the Fabiola hospital with a fractured skull.

RICHMOND TO BE TERMINAL POINT

SACRAMENTO, April 11.—The Northern Electric Railroad company has completed arrangements with two railroads, the Santa Fe and Oakland, Antioch and Eastern, for the handling of freight between Richmond and northern California points tapped by the electric line.

BIRTH NOTICE

PARKER—In Santa Barbara, April 8, 1916, to the wife of William Parker, (nee Miss Muriel Milnes), a daughter.

FINAL DECREE

REDDING, April 11.—A final decree of divorce was today granted Venua C. Raglan of Martinez from her husband, George C. Raglan of Kennett, ground, cruelty.

IN SACRAMENTO

Mrs. Clare Horner, wife of the local attorney, left for Sacramento today where she will spend several weeks visiting with friends and relatives.

ON BUSINESS

County Clerk Jasper Wells was a business visitor here last evening.

Petitions For National Guard

BANKER HEADS MOVEMENT FOR COMPANY HERE

Possibilities are that Richmond will soon have a Nation Guard and armory.

Petitions requesting the installing of a company in this city were put into circulation today by Charles J. Crary, vice president of the First National bank and E. G. Griffin, a Standard Oil official and former guardsman.

The names of sixty-eight men physically qualified to enlist will be necessary to secure the company.

As soon as the petitions have the required number of signatures they will be forwarded to Brigadier General C. W. Thomas, Jr., of the National Guard of California.

SCHOOL TOILETS CONDEMNED; MUST GO BY JAN. FIRST

Present toilet systems in use in the Richmond public schools must be abolished by January 1, 1917, according to a report filed with the city council by Health Commissioner C. R. Blake last night. Of eight school toilet inspections made, five were condemned.

The report filed by the health department says that while great care is taken to keep the toilets clean and sanitary that their construction is of such an obsolete nature as to warrant them unfit for use.

JUDGE'S SON SETS A COUNTY HURDLE RECORD

(Special to Record-Herald)

MARTINEZ, April 11.—Malcolm McKenzie, son of Superior Judge A. B. McKenzie, smashed all interscholastic records of Contra Costa county for the high hurdles at a recent track meet held at Concord when he slipped over the "stocks" in seventeen flat.

MISS RUTH KAISER HURT IN ACCIDENT

Miss Ruth Kaiser, formerly residing at 148 Sixteenth street was severely injured in a motorcycle accident yesterday at Modesto.

As a result of the accident Miss Kaiser lost two teeth and sustained numerous lacerations about her body.

PYTHIAN SISTERS PLAN CARD PARTY

One application for membership was received by Contra Costa Temple, Pythian Sisters, at its meeting in Pythian hall last night at which time arrangements were also completed for a whist party to be held on the evening of April 30.

Mrs. K. A. Gregory is chairman of the committee arranging for the whist party.

ITALIANS FIGHT

A number of Italians engaged in a free-for-all fight on Standard avenue last night. No arrests were made.

EYE ABCESSES

Charles Fessenden, laborer at the Blake quarry is suffering from an abcess of his right eye.

RICHMOND COPS IN PINK OF CONDITION

Bring on your "Commodore" Turners and other bold bad men, for our Richmond police will soon in the pink of fighting trim.

Besides numerous athletic exercises, which Chief Walker will send his men through daily will come weekly revolver practice.

The city council last evening granted the department twelve extra cartridges per man a month for the practice "shoots."

NEW FACTORY WILL COME HERE SOON, NAME WITHHELD

(Special to Record-Herald)

OAKLAND, April 11.—Oakland may lose a $500,000 factory, unless a site is offered for the plant this week. This was the news received at the Chamber of Commerce this morning, when it was learned that an offer had been made or is to be made by a Richmond capitalist who plans a campaign to locate the plant in that city.

According to Joseph Caing, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce the plant is desirous of locating at one of the east bay cities. Its best offer thus far has been from Richmond.

Consistant work on the part of Secretary J. A. Long of the Richmond Chamber of Commerce will in all probabilities bring to that city the $500,000 factory site which Oakland has been dickering for the past several months.

The name of the company nor the site on which it will probably locate will not be given out until final papers have been signed.

An estimate of the size of the new firm can be obtained from a statement made by Long that 500 men would be employed to commence with.

2000 YARDS OF ROCK NEEDED FOR HIGHWAY

Improvements on the roadway to the municipal wharf on the outer harbor are rapidly nearing completion.

Harbor Engineer George Posey informed the city council last evening that 2000 yards of rock would be necessary to bring the highway grade approach level with the floor of the wharf.

Y. M. I'S ATTEND IN BODY BIG MEETING

Thirty members of Burk Council, No. 609, Young Men's Institute, were in attendance at the district initiation of officers held at Alameda yesterday.

Prior to the initiatory work mass was held in St. Joseph's church.

GUSTAV VASA PLANS JOLLY MASK BALL

George Kindstrom heads a committee from Gustav Vasa lodge which is completing preliminary arrangements for a mask ball to be given at Bank hall on the evening of April 22nd.

Assisting Kindstrom will be A. Wetterberg, C. Krause, and C. Larson.

FROM MARTINEZ

Mrs. Martin Joost was a visitor with friends here yesterday.

TREACHEROUS SURF TOOK SUNDBECK

All previous telegrams and reports from San Diego that Oscar Sundbeck, owner of the Oberon saloon, 100 Washington avenue, had committed suicide by drowning were dispelled with the arrival of the following telegram late today:

Bert Curry, Richmond, Cal.

Oscar Sundbeck, at the time of his death was bathing at Las Jolla Strand beach. Went out beyond the breakers. Undertow was too strong and he sank. Life guards to the rescue but were too late. Remains will arrive in Richmond tomorrow night.

CORONER.

CITY SIGNS A FIVE YEAR GARBAGE AGREEMENT

A five year lease for the site of a garbage incinerator plant at the south portal of the Municipal tunnel was entered into last night by the city council with Alphonse King, of San Francisco.

The company among other things guarantees no odor or disagreeable smoke shall come from the plant.

BODY OF S. F. MAN IS FOUND

The drowned body of John Griffin, of San Francisco, was found floating in the waters of the Cutting canal at the foot of Eighteenth street by small boys late this afternoon.

No marks of foul play were discovered on the remains. An autopsy will be performed on the body by Dr. U. S. Abbott tonight.

Censored Letter Fills Gap of Eighteen Months

A letter void of any postmark and bearing the ugly yet official stamp of the British censor was received by Mrs. Jeannie Scharkopf, owner of the Craven hospital today from her brother, Arthur Scharkopf, a submarine instructor, fighting somewhere in the Dardinelles.

It was the first news which Mrs. Scharkopf had received in eighteen months. All through the letter were dashes, blurs and scratches by the censor.

According to the letter Scharkopf was decorated for bravery for having saved the lives of ten British sailors following the torpedoing of H. M. S. Majestic.

The writer also sent a picture of himself which Mrs. Scharkopf filed to recognize as her brother.

BURGLAR'S CASE DISMISSED TODAY

Police Judge Hiram Jacobs, sitting in the court of Justice of the Peace John Roth this afternoon dismissed the charge of burglary placed against August Kruse, a Pullman carpenter by William Farholtz, proprietor of the Pullman hotel.

Cause for the dismissal resulted from Farnholtz having left town.

COUNCIL BRINGS PHONE REDUCTION TO RESIDENTS OF ANNEXED DISTRICT

Protests filed with the city council several weeks ago by residents in the outlying district complaining of the exorbitant rates charged them by the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph company for a ten party line were settled in an amicable manner by the board last night.

An agreement arranged by Manager George Calvert of the company will give rates similar to those charged for city lines to the annexed district residents.

The new rates will become effective the first of next month.

COUNCIL WILL GOVERN WALL ERECTION

Owing to damages sustained by several Terrace avenue residents when a retaining wall collapsed caused the city council to order an ordinance prepared by City Attorney D. J. Hall last evening governing the construction and inspection of walls erected in the future.

The wall which collapsed was erected by the Worswick Paving company. City Engineer H. D. Chapman disclaimed any responsibility for the cave-in.

Although safeguarding the public with a city regulation on retaining walls the city council will have embodied in the new ordinance a clause disclaiming any liability for accidents.

TELEPHONE COMPANY AWARDED FRANCISE

An ordinance granting to the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph company a 41 years franchise for operating in this city was given its final reading and adopted by the city council last night.

The franchise was secured by the company for $200, there being no competitors.

"POP" TIME OUTRUN BY STORK IN MARCH

Little competition was afforded Dr. Stork by Father Time for the month of March, according to the monthly health report filed with the city council last night.

There were nine more births than deaths for the month, the report showing 16 deaths and 25 births.

BENEFIT WHIST PARTY AT JOHNSON HOME

A benefit whist party will be held at the home of Mrs. Charles Johnson, 215 Twenty-second street tomorrow evening.

Funds taken in at the party will be donated to Zephyr lodge of Rebekahs.

LEAVES HOSPITAL

B. H. Marsh, undergoing treatment at the Craven hospital for injuries received several weeks ago from a flywheel was returned to his Bissell avenue home last evening.

HOT POINTS OF POOL HALL TALK

"If we have an ordinance forbidding minors the use of pool and billiard halls and it is continually violated I see no reason why clemency should be shown to John Hamilton."—John Gerlach.

"As long as the Chief of Police intends to make an example of my husband's place why don't he go after some of the others. I would like the city council to ask Mr. Walker that."—Mrs. John Hamilton.

"I believe that Hamilton has been unjustly treated by the police. He has been slighted in many ways."—J. B. Ogborn.

"It's news to me if there are any other places violating the pool hall ordinance, but if the council says so I'll go ahead and close them up."—Chief Walker.

"My boy is a minor and has repeatedly gone to the pool hall operated by Mr. Hamilton. I ask as a favor that the council close his place."—Thomas Clinch.

"Gentlement of the Council Board, I have always tried to operate my place in an orderly manner and observe all city ordinances. Only two boys under age have entered my pool rooms, they doing so with signed notes from their parents."—J. C. Hamilton.

"This fellow Hamilton has been found guilty in the police court of violating a city ordinance. No leniency should be shown him."—John Hartnett.

DAMPER IS PUT ON PRIVATE TRACT IMPROVEMENTS

Plans for improvements of streets in the Harbor Front tract, passed upon favorably by City Engineer H. D. Chapman were rejected by the city council last evening because they failed to conform with the city specifications.

The plans were prepared by W. L. Raven, a consulting engineer, who was to supervise the improvement by private contract.

CITY TAKES STEP FOR BETTER MILK

The new law requiring "daylight" delivery and the pasteurizing of all milk sold in this city went into effect the first of this month, and has apparently met with the approval of all, says Dr. C. R. Blake, city health officer, as we have not received a single "kick" regarding the milk, but on the contrary, have had a number of very satisfactory recommendations, and we feel that this city has taken a long step forward in the prevention of disease by the adoption of this ordinance.

DISEASE FREE

No quarantines have been ordered for four months, according to a report made today by the health department.

WERE SPEEDING

O. C. Sutherland and W. D. Matson were arrested by the police last night for speeding on Bissell avenue. The defendants were given five days in which to answer to the charge or be fined.

1 POOL HALL CLOSED; MANY OTHERS FEAR RAID; POLICE ARE GRILLED

Thirty minutes of heated discussion by the city council and outsiders last evening resulted in the revocation of J. C. Hamilton's pool hall license, the grilling of the police department and the commencement of a vice crusade against all pool rooms.

Hamilton lost his licence by a 5 to 3 vote. Those voting to close his place being: Ludewig, Gerlach, Fernald, Hartnett and Garrard; voting for a rehearing were: Ogborn, Penry and Lane.

Hamilton was recently arrested by the police for allowing minors to enter his place of business. He offered to tell the council last night why he had entered a plea of guilty in the police court for which he was fined $25. This was objected to by a member of the board as trivial.

When questioned as to why he allowed minors to enter his pool rooms Hamilton informed the council that Policeman Sprague had informed him it was all right as long as the boys under age had brought notes from their parents. This statement was branded as a "lie" by Chief Walker.

Thomas Clinch informed the council that his son, Paul Clinch, a minor, had repeatedly entered Hamilton's pool rooms. Hamilton denied this assertion.

As a part of his defense Hamilton stated that, he "was not notified until 8 o'clock last Monday night by the police to appear before that body which was too late for any action on his part."

Rumors around the council table asserted the closing of Hamilton's pool room by the police to be "spite work" and an aftermath to the recent Eigenman-Walker controversy. Hamilton is alleged, according to the rumors, to have been an intimate friend of Eigenman.

$100 IN MEATS AND VINEGAR CONDEMNED

More than $100 worth of meats and vinegar were condemned during the past month by Sanitary Inspector Homer Wyatt.

Thirteen hogs shipped by F. C. Roselli of Los Banos were taken from the Wells Fargo express office and burned; two veal and one beef liver shipped to the Richmond market by F. C. Roselli were burned, while 75 gallons of vinegar stored in a shed at 934 Macdonald avenue by H. M. Strock was dumped into the sewer.

PUTS CAP IN MOUTH LIGHTS FUSE; INQUEST

APPLETON, Wis., April 11.—"All this property will be yours and it will be yours pretty quick," declared August Zitlow to his wife, as he calmly placed a dynamite cap between his teeth, lighted the fuse and blew out his brains at his home in South Kaukauna.

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THE JAPANESE PROBLEM

If a bill pending in the Japanese parliament becomes a law, certain classes of Japanese will be permitted to become American citizens.

This concession, small as it may appear to us, would mark a great change in the historic policy of Japan. It has always been held that a Japanese could not expatriate himself—that the Emperor is devine, and lifelong loyalty to him is the religious as well as patriotic duty of every subject. And it is largely this fundamental obstacle to the naturalization of Japs in America that has led to discrimination against them. It is natural enough for the Pacific Coast states to object to Japanese colonization and ownership of land when they realize that the settlers are liable, at any time, to be summoned back to their native allegiance.

The new policy is said to be looked upon by the Japanese government as a solution for this very difficulty. The bill in question would grant the right to expatriation only to Japanese children born abroad and to Japanese women marrying foreigners. But it would be an important step merely to make the children of Japanese settlers free to become American citizens and therefore entitled to hold property.

It is, questionable, of course, whether some of our western states would consent to admitting to citizenship even American-born children of Japs. But if they should it might lead to a settlement of the long dispute with the Japanese government and a more friendly understanding between the two nations.

SAVING THE FAMILY PURSE

The Philadelphia Ledger has been delving into history of a hundred years ago and declares that newspapers of that period show that city people were then, as now, complaining about the high cost of food. A century hence prices will be much higher than they are today, and the complaints will be heard just the same. This is inevitable in a land where the increase in population is five times as great as the yearly increase in the volume of food produced. If food output were increasing five times as rapidly as the number of months to be fed, then the price would decline. That condition is not likely to happen in the United States within the lifetime of any who are living now. Lamb chops soar to the clouds, and why? Because the number of sheep in America grows smaller instead of larger, while population increases, and also because just at present the price of wool is so high that there is an added incentive to let the lambs live for their fleece.

The Ledger goes on to say: "When towns were small and the farmers drove with their own produce through the streets, vegetables, butter, eggs and meat kept at a fairly low figure. Now milk comes two hundred miles to Philadelphia. We get mutton from Australia, apples from Oregon and butter from the middle west.

"Pensylvania does not grow more than half enough wheat to make the bread which Pennsylvanians eat. To the farmer's cost of production must be added to almost every commodity a railroad freight rate and a very expensive local delivery system. Thus the city consumer has a hard battle to fight when he wages war against such inevitable conditions."

One invasion is welcomed by dressers with anything left to sell—that of American silver foxes.

THE GASOLINE FAMINE.

The Rittman process of extracting gasoline from crude oil proves to be really something more than mere theory or laboratory experiment. The licensing by the federal government of ten oil refining companies, for the use of this method, shows that practical oil men have faith in it, and seems to guarantee its commercial success.

It is an opportune time for this innovation. And if it fulfills the hopes of refiners, it may provide the needed relief for the present gasoline scarcity and high prices. The supply of crude oil cannot be increased, at least until Mexico is pacified and the product of the Mexican fields is once more available. If it is possible to obtain two or three times as much gasoline from a given quantity of crude oil, by means of the Rittman process, the result will be about the same as if the crude output were developed. The manner in which this process is being adopted to general use is in itself a novelty. Dr. Rittman, the discoverer, is a governmental employee in the bureau of mines at Washington. He has generously waived all private rights. The bureau of mines is granting concessions without charge, but on the condition that any patentable improvements made by a licensed firm employing the process shall be assigned to the secretary of the interior, thus becoming available for other manufacturers on the same gratuitous terms. Thus the discovery presented to the nation may become a great public benefactor as time goes on, instead of the profit derived from it being pocketed by a few private firms.

This appears to be the first case of the kind on record. It may prepare the way for a general practice of making useful scientific discoveries public property.

THE MAN AND HIS LODGE

Some people are lodge crazy and join everything in sight. They are called "joiners." Others are pessimistic and can see no good in any lodge.

But there is much good to be derived from membership in any of the legitimate lodges that flourish everywhere, provided the lodge habit is not carried to excess.

It creates a spirit of comradeship among the members that is seldom found elsewhere. If a member is in distress or difficulty, his lodge promptly comes to his relief and tides him over the rough places and into smoother water. If he is sick, they cheer him with their presence, and watch at his bedside, and see that his family does not suffer during his incapacity. And in many other ways they are a distinct benefit one to another.

The lodge is the symbol of the brotherhood of man, and its tenets are founded upon the Bible and advocates the elevation of the human race.

The fellow who identifies himself with some good lodge and lives up to its teachings will be a better man and citizen for the few hours he devotes to its meetings.

A New York lawyer's wife testifies that by applying the acid test she found her wedding ring to be brass. It can only be said that any wife so devoid of sentiment as to subject her wedding ring to an acid test deserves to have scepticism confirmed by finding brass instead of gold.

Villa's capture may be only a matter of time, and yet a long way ahead.

TRANSFERS OF REAL ESTATE

Instruments Recorded April 8.

DEEDS

John G. and Bertha Regello to City of Richmond—Portion of lots 1 2 3 blk 1, Alvarado tract, resub., and portions of blks 1 5 9, $47.50.

Russell A. Clark and Leonara Clark Zavitz to City of Richmond—Portion of lot 4 blk "A" Andrade Boulevard tract, $11.95.

Roy and Cherry Moore to City of Richmond—Portion of lots 23 24 blk 1, Brown-Andrade tract, $ 23.

Rheinhold and Ellen M. Maede to City of Richmond—Portion of lots 2 3 blk 1, Schapiro's addn., $10.95.

Mrs. Olva Clark to City of Richmond—Portion of lot 3 blk "A" Andrade Boulevard tract, $11.95.

Catherine Thole to City of Richmond—Portion of lots 3 5 blk "A" New Richmond addn., $62.02.

J. R., Lydia J., G. W. and Martha Crane to City of Richmond—Lots 79 11 blk "A" New Richmond addn., $10.

J. L. and Clever B. Muntz; W. A. and Emilie Popp to City of Richmond—Portion of lot 29 blk "A" New Richmond addn. $22.05.

James M. and Matina Lakas to City of Richmond—Portion of lot 1 blk 9, Alvarado tract, $26.24.

C. L. Burbeck to City of Richmond—Portions of lots 20 21 blk 3, Andrade Boulevard tract, $21.68.

San Francisco-Oakland Terminal Railway to City of Richmond—Portion of lot 55, S. P. Ro., $6000.

J. H. T. Watkinson to City of Richmond—Certain described property in Nicholl-Macdonald Avenue Civic Center, $10.

Ralph and Flora V. Brown and Herbert F. Brown, Inc. to City of Richmond—Portion of Helling's avenue in Hittell tract, $10.

Wilfred W. Penhorwood to City of Richmond—Portion of lot 38 blk 3, Cerritos addn., $10.

Cynthia L. Chamberlain to City of Richmond—Portion of lot 29 blk 3, Cerritos addn., $10.

Joseph Huschle to City of Richmond—Portion of lots 1 2 blk 3, Cerritos addn., $10.

Andrew Nystrom to City of Richmond—Portion of lot 27 blk 7, amd. map of Cerritos addn., $10.

Givanni Seymond to City of Richmond—Portion of lot 31 blk 7, amd map of Cerritos addn., $88.20.

Theresa Coleman to City of Richmond—Portion of lots 32 blk 7, amd map of Cerritos addn., $44.10.

Charles O. and Sophia Meitans to City of Richmond—Portion of lot 11 blk "C" Wilson's addn., $48.32

Deborah and Frank Swickard to City of Richmond—Portion of lot 11 blk "D" Wilson's addn., $90.90.

E. J. and Dora M. Overend to City of Richmond—Portion of lots 9 and 10 blk "C" Wilson's addn., $10.

Manuel and Ambrozina Rosa to City of Richmond—Portion of lot 59, El Cerrito Terrace, $10.

Alice A. McDonald to City of Richmond—Portion of lot 36 blk 3, Cerritos addn., $10.

Isabella and S. T. Brydon to City of Richmond—Lot 35 and portion of Blk 3, Cerritos addn., $10.

Mamie Rednall to City of Richmond—Portion of lot 34 blk 3, Cerritos addn., $39.50.

J. H. and Ida Greefkens to City of Richmond—Portion of lot 27 blk 3, Cerritos addn., $45.

Mary C. Jacobson to City of Richmond—Portion of lot 28 blk 3, Cerritos addn., $45.

A. H. and Alice Sweet to City of Richmond—Portion of lot 11, now Richmond addn., $10.

Glevanni Figono to City of Richmond—Portion of lot 3 blk 3, Cerritos addn., $10.

Benj. and Anne Boorman to City of Richmond—Portion of lot 1 blk 1, Cerritos addn., $10.

Guiseppe, E., and Rosa Armanini to City of Richmond—Portion of lots 1 2 blk 1, Cerritos addn., $10.

Francesco Oppici to City of Richmon—Portion of lots 28 29 blk 7, amd. map of Cerritos addn., $10.

W. Driscoll to City of Richmond—Portion of lot 10, Richmond addn., $586.05.

Meeker Co. to City of Richmond—Des. tract blk 1, Herman's addn., and portion of blk 24, Herman's addn., $65.

Otto R. and Johanna J. Ludewig to City of Richmond—Portion of lots 21 to 27 inc., blk 24 Herman's addn. to Point Richmond., $1200.

Pt. Richmond Canal & Land Co. to City of Richmond—Portion of map No. 1 of Canal sub., being portion of blk 36 and Market street, $10.

G. G. Wilson, trustee for Mt Diablo Garage Co., bankrupt to City of Richmond—Lot 41 blk 132, amd map of the City of Richmond, $10.

John H. Nicholl to City of Richmond—Lots 1 to 11 inc., 26 27 29 blk 4; lots 15 to 34 inc., and blk 14, Nicholl-Macdonald Ave Civic Center, $10.

Alice McCready to W. E. Methever—Lot 9 Contra Costa Land Co. Sub. No. 3, Larkfiey Ranch, cont. 15 acres and portion of Las Juntas, $10.

MORTGAGES AND TRUST DEEDS

R. M. and Mabel F. Hatch to Herbert F. Brown—Lots 19 20 21 22 blk 13, Richmond, $845 T. D.

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THE W. C. T. U. of Richmond would like to assist any girl that needs help who will either write or come to see Mrs. G. Wallin, 684 Fifteenth St., Richmond. tf.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Three or four room flat, central locality, reasonable rent. Inquire at 325 7th St., Richmond. m-17-1m.

FOR RENT—Nice large rooms, bath, good location and suitable for one or two gentlemen. Rent reasonable. Inquire 620 Nevin Ave. a10-3t

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Lots No. 9 10 11 and 12, block 17, East Richmond, Calif., for prices, which are reasonable, write to Henry Talken, Rich Fountain, Missouri. m21-s24

$1450 EQUITY IN HERBERT E. BROWN Lincoln Blvd. Tract, Richmond, for sale at 50¢ on the dollar, also 10% commission to party selling same. W. L. Sellers, Tulare, Calif. 4-4-tf.

FOR SALE—Nearly new house of four rooms and bath, large basement, good location, can be paid for in monthly installments. H. D. Malone, 2221 Macdonald avenue. a5-tf

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS

VACANT LOTS—If you are obliged to dispose of vacant lots in the city of Richmond, and are willing to sell at bedrock prices, with all the inflation cut out, address Box Z, care Record-Herald office, Richmond, Cal., giving location of lots and price wanted. 2-29-tf.

WANTED—Will pay 10 per cent for $200.00. Richmond Home, Security. Address Box V, care of Record-Herald. apr8-4t

WANTED—Ladies to make their OWN dresses and waists. Register now for free instructions in cutting and sewing. Only those registered in advance will receive instructions. HOME SEWING WEEK April 17th to 22nd, 1916 at the BIG STORE, Seventh and Macdonald Ave. a10-6t

EXCHANGES

HAVE you vacant lots that you want to turn over for income bearing residence property. I have a modern five room house and two lots in central section of city, that I would consider exchanging for vacant lots suitably located. In answering give lot and block number, what value of lots are, and whether street work is paid or not. Address Box 184, Richmond, Cal. 2-29-tf

NOTARY PUBLIC

NOTARY PUBLIC—I make and acknowledge all kinds of legal papers; deeds, mortgages, contracts, leases, etc. Houses to rent; fire insurance. H. G. Stidham, 163 Washington avenue. Phones, office 868, Residence 920. 2-27-tf

DRESSMAKING

DRESSMAKING and remodeling in all its branches at 438 12th street, Richmond. a8-5t

Wear a BLACK'S Special, one that has been Cleaned and Pressed. Black's Cleaning House, 1010 Macdonald Ave., Phone 723.

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Towel service furnished offices barbers and bars. We supply coats and aprons. We furnish the supply—you use it. Cheaper than buying your own. Branch office, Record-Herald building, telephone 70. Telephone your order and the man will call on you.

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Attorney-at-Law
First National Bank Building
Phone Richmond 80

J. E. RODGERS
Attorney-at-Law
Martinez - - - California

BERT CURRY
UNDERTAKER—EMBALMER
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Day and Night Phone 429

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MEDICAL, SURGICAL and MATERNITY CASES.
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NOTICE TO VOTERS

A new and complete registration of voters is required by law during the year 1916.

Registration closes for the purpose of voting at election of school trustees, on March 7th, 1916; for the purpose of voting at Municipal elections of towns of the sixth class, on March 20th, 1916; for the purpose of voting at Presidential Primary election on April 1st, 1916; for the purpose of voting at August Primary election, on July 29th, 1916; and on Oct. 7th, 1916 for the purpose of voting at General Election on Nov. 7th, 1916.

You may register with the County Clerk or any of his deputies.

Dated February 10th, 1916.

J. H. WELLS,
County Clerk of Contra Costa County, California.

The following named persons are registration deputies:

A. C. Paris, City Hall, Richmond, Cal.
Mrs. Mary D. Neill, 154 Washington Ave., Richmond.
Geo. K. Drew, 114 Washington Ave., Richmond.
I. R. Vaughn, 420 Macdonald Ave., Richmond.
Miss Nannie Nesbitt, 621 Bissell Ave., Richmond.
Mrs. Florilla Brown Stege, P. O.
M. J. Gordon, 319 Macdonald Ave., Richmond.
Fred C. Schram, 422 Macdonald Ave. Richmond.
L. J. Thole, 1928 Macdonald Ave., Richmond.
W. J. Richards, Jr., 915 Macdonald Ave., Richmond.
Mrs. Henrietta King, 234 Barrett Ave., Richmond.
Mrs. Laura B. Crampton, 624 Chanslor Ave., Richmond.
Frank M. Silva, San Pablo.
George E. Valencia, San Pablo.
A. H. MacKinnon, Rust.
Herman Rust, Rust.
H. P. Davis, Rust.

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SIMMONS CASH GROCERY

E. M. SIMMONS, Prop.

315 Macdonald Avenue — Phone Richmond 899

We want to thank the many hundreds of people who attended the opening or our New Store on Saturday last, and made the opening such a grand success, which far surpassed our most sanguine and optimistic expectations, both in the hundreds of people who came and the hundreds of dollars of groceries they purchased. Positive proof. "That what we say we do. We do do."

It is not our aim to run long price list in the papers. But we have the prices in plain figures in the store. Here are a few samples:

1 lb. Japan Tea, reg. 40¢ special ..... 25¢
1 lb. English B. and Ceylon reg. $1 to close ..... 60¢ (This will not last)
Three lbs. Coffee, regular 20¢ kind ..... 50¢
2 large, bread, reg. 10¢ .. 15¢
Shoulders, Eastern, special, pound ..... 12¢
1 doz. best eggs, special .. 25¢
2 lbs Jewell butter ..... 65¢
3 lbs Flake Hominy ..... 25¢
2 large cans Tuna fish .... 25¢
Five bottles Libby's mustard ..... 25¢
Five bottles of Pineapple juice ..... 25¢
2 lbs of soap chips ..... 15¢
2 large tins, Asparagus .. 25¢
6 cans Devil Ham ..... 25¢
5 lbs. Hard Rice ..... 25¢

Full line of provisions, hams, bacon and lard.

TRY OUR HAMS—BONED AND ROLLED

SAN DIEGO EXPOSITION

Round Trip Excursions From RICHMOND To SAN DIEGO

Daily — 3 Months Return Limit

FRIDAYS AND SATURDAYS — Return Limit 15 Days

$27.50 — $22.50

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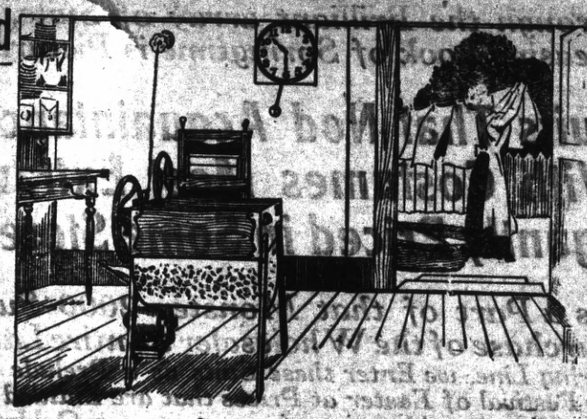
Reduced Prices For April



Free Trial Monthly Payments

Cut Wash Day Labor In Two

This is bargain month in electric labor saving appliances. Reduced prices—Monthly payments—the best of all **10 days free trial.**

Every housewife in Richmond can use an up-to-the minute electric washing machine for 10 days without cost and demonstrate to her own satisfaction how much time and back breaking labor the permanent possession of one would save. Observe how little electricity it takes to operate it.

No obligation to buy if you don't care to keep the machine. If you do—pay $25 down and $10 per month.

The machines and prices offered during April by the dealers are:

THOR $100
BABY THOR ..... $ 60

The terms referred to apply to the purchase of any of these machines—but the prices and time payments are offered only for the month of April.

Don't delay. See the window exhibit at **Pioneer Electric Co** or **Pacific Electric Manufacturing Co.**, then make arrangements to get your machine on **free trial at once.**

Special inducements are offered of both an electric vacuum cleaner and an electric washing machine, provided they are for the same household and the sales are made before April 30.

WESTERN STATES GAS & ELECTRIC CO.

617 Macdonald Ave. — Telephone 115

FASHION SHOWS IN NEW YORK

NEW YORK, April 11.—Everyone here that has anything to do with things sartorial, has been rushing from one fashion promenade to another and seeing so many duplicates of "exclusive" models, that that credulity and patience has been duplicates of "exclusive" models, that credulity and patience has been stretched to the limit.

The effort to secure individuality and distinction is responsible for many extreme designs, as well as for some that push simplicity to the limit of dowdiness.

WELL POISED WOMEN

Well poised women look at such showings quite as much to decide what to avoid in their spring selections, as what to purchase. To know what you decidedly don't want, makes it much easier to recognize the styles that will be satisfactory. Only the slender willowy figure can tamper with huge built out hips that attract only because of their novelty, and the cleverness with which French designers have manipulated their models to make women here buy costumes that require an almost unlimited yardage for their development.

FANCIFUL AND PICTURESQUE.

Fanciful and extremely picturesque are many of the new models, and quite unsuited to practical requirements of the majority of well dressed women, but even the most bizarre or extreme types have points that can be used to advantage to smarten up an otherwise tame design. Louis XV. vests are to be found as separate garments in the fashionable shops, or can be specially made up from odd lengths of suitable materials. These are used with pretty tailorish suits transforming them completely, while sets of similar style made up in colored lawns, are to be had at any neckware counter.

BEADS AND EMBROIDERIES

Bead embroideries, bead tassels and various odd danglers, are a notable feature in dress garniture, and ribbon is endlessly employed. Many of the prettiest bead designs are in simple braiding patterns, and often

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used in combination with braid. Patch work appliques are among the most effective ornaments both for dresses and hats, and these often have their edges finished with narrow soutache braid or with beads.

HOOPS ARE IN

Hoops are in decided vogue though, so far, these are usually inserted in the gown or its trimmings, but real hoop skirts have made their appearance in separate garments which have the grace to collapse when their wearer is seated. Only the few consider these models, while the many declare they will never adopt them, but prophecies of this sort have been known to fall before now, and styles quite as impractical have attained general vague.

WAIST STIGHT AND PLAIN.

As skirts expand and take to themselves, organ pleats, cartridge pleats, slings and any other sort of device that extends the hip, waists grow tighter and simpler in outline, and sleeves show determination to cover the arm and a part of the hand in a majority of the models though in many afternoon dresses they stop at the elbow or above it and on net and lace gowns one sees a number of blouses where the sleeve and waist are cut in one.

TIGHT WAVED COIFFURES.

The fashionable coiffure follows the lines of the head closely and allows never a loose hair to stray to disturb the perfect serenity of effect. Invisable nets are so much in demand that they are becoming scarce and high in price, especially in certain shades.

ROSALIND MAY.

JOOST BABY

(Special to Record-Herald)

MARTINEZ, April 11.—The baptismal rite was conferred upon Martin William Joost, infant son of County Tax Collector Martin Joost, at the Grace Episcopal church today.

ASSESSOR'S NOTICE

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NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

All persons, firms, companies, corporations and associations are required to delivered at the Assessor's office, Martinez, immediately, a statement under oath of all the property, both real and personal, owned or claimed by him, her or them, or in their possession, or held in trust for others, at 12 o'clock meridian, on

FIRST MONDAY IN MARCH, 1916

in accordance with the new constitution. Refusal or neglect to make such sworn statement of all property owned or held in trust, will subject the person so refusing or neglecting to make such sworn statement to the full penalty of the law.

All property owners should see that their property is correctly described on the assessment roll.

Immediate attention is necessary as work on the roll has already been commenced. Proper blanks may be had at the assessor's office or of his deputies.

All statements must be in the Assessor's office on or before the 1st day of May, 1916.

2-8 to 5-1 — G. O. MEESE, County Assessor.

NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING TO CONSIDER INCREASE OF CAPITAL STOCK.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: That in pursuance of a resolution and order of the board of directors of Richmond Savings Bank, a corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of California, unanimously adopted at a regular meeting of said board held on the 16th day of March, 1916, at the principal place of business of said corporation, and being the building where the board of directors or trustees thereof usually meet, to-wit, the banking rooms of said corporation in the First National Bank Building, at the corner of Sixth Street and Macdonald Avenue in the City of Richmond, County of Contra Costa, State of California, a meeting of the stockholders of said corporation is hereby called for and will be held at the principal place of business of said corporation, to-wit, the aforesaid banking rooms, on the 25th day of May, 1916, at 2:30 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of considering and acting upon the proposition to increase the capital stock of said corporation from $50,000.00 divided into 500 shares of the par value of $100 each, to $250,000.00 divided into 2500 shares of the par value of $100 each.

By order of the Board of Directors. Dated March 16th, 1916.

ABRA J. HEALD, Secretary of Richmond Savings Bank, a corporation.

"HER HUSBAND MAY BE PROSPEROUS, BUT HER CLOTHES DON'T SHOW IT"

"That's true, Amy. But whether her husband is getting along well or not, she could wear smart, attractive clothes by getting them AT CHERRY'S.

"I've worn pretty things for years, simply by using my credit to get them when I need them—instead of waiting until I had the money.

"It's a wonder to me that every woman doesn't appreciate the advantage of trading at CHERRY'S."

"I've thought that myself, Amy; but there are hundreds already in Oakland who depend upon CHERRY'S for everything, and new names are added to their books all the time. It's a splendid location, I think, at 515 13th street, between Washington and Clay street.

"And CHERRY'S assortment are so exquisite this spring, Barbara! I never saw lovelier things.

"Perhaps you know CHERRY'S addresses. Their ladies' store is at 515 13th street, and remember they have another beautiful store exclusively for men right across the street at 528 13th street. Their two San Francisco stores are located at 1009 Market street and 2400 Mission street. Other stores on the Pacific coast are at Portland, Tacoma and Los Angeles.—Advt.

ATTEND DANCE

Attending the Shell dance held at Martinez last evening were Mr. and Mrs. James Malone, Miss Ivy Connick, Miss E. Fitzgerald, Walter Imbach and James Ford of this city.

L. & D. RICHMOND THEATRE

TONIGHT'S PROGRAM

MATINEE DAILY 2:15 to 5:00

Edward Arden, Bliss Milford and Kathryn Browne Decker are featured in "THE BELOVED VAGABOND," from the famous novel by William J. Locke. It is in five colored parts.

CONFESSED KILLER PLEADS NOT GUILTY

NEW YORK, April 11.—Dr. Arthur Warren Waite, who has confessed to poisoning his father-in-law, John E. Pack, millionaire drug manufacturer of Grand Rapids, Mich., entered, through his counsel today, a plea of not guilty, when arraigned on the indictment charging him with murder in the first degree. His counsel, however, reserved the right to change the plea within ten days.

MT. DIABLO SHAKEN BY DYNAMITE CHARGE

DIABLO, April 11.—Hundreds of bay city folk swarmed over the hills and vales of the Mount Diablo estate yesterday to get a view of the monster blast, comprising three tons of dynamite, that was exploded against the mountain side to clear a path for the steam shovel that is carving a new scenic highway down the south slopes of Diablo.

Better Wines at moderate prices

"CALWA" WINES represent the choicest selection from enormous matured stocks

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8 "GRAND PRIZES"
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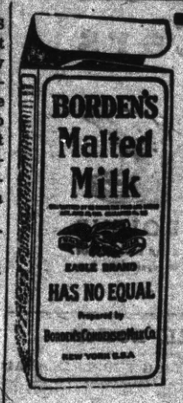

Hungry Boys and Girls

Just in from a hard romp and hungry as hunters. Not mealtime yet but they must have something in a hurry. Just sprinkle a teaspoonful of

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on a slice of bread and butter. They will like it better than sugar. Consisting as it does of rich, creamy milk with extracts of wheat and barley malt it contains the elements necessary to build up their growing bodies, and it will not ferment in the stomach.

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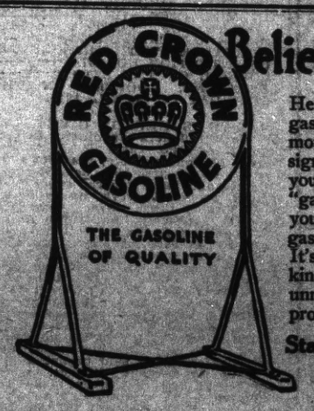

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BENTON'S FRUIT STORE 1200 Macdonald Avenue.
BEYER'S NEWS DEPOT 1006 Macdonald Avenue.
BURDICK'S HARDWARE STORE 421 Macdonald Avenue.
CARACAILLO'S BARBER SHOP 1014 Macdonald Avenue.
CARTER'S BARBER SHOP 2025 Macdonald Avenue.
CLASSIC TAILOR SHOP 303 Macdonald Avenue.
COZY CANDY STORE 148 Washington Avenue.
DAMMAND, the Photographer 716 Macdonald Avenue.
DIETRICH JEWELERY STORE 140 Washington Avenue
FARLINGER'S CLOTHING STORE 122 Macdonald Avenue.
GRAND CANYON PARK STORE San Pablo and Park Avenues.
HAWLEY-Guyre Music Co. 917 Macdonald Avenue.
HEIDORN'S TABACCO STORE 820 Macdonald Avenue.
HONEY BOY CANDY STORE 619 Macdonald Avenue.
HOME RESTAURANT 1220 Macdonald Avenue.
FENNER'S HARDWARE HOUSE 136 Washington Avenue.
KENNON'S STATIONERY STORE 516 Macdonald Avenue.
LANG'S DRUG STORE 618 and 620 Macdonald Avenue.
LIMA'S BARBER SHOP 320 19th Street.
MAYER'S CLEANING CO. 1118 Macdonald Avenue.
MIGEL'S DEPARTMENT STORE 406 Macdonald Avenue.
MINNER'S MERCANTILE CO. 145 Washington Avenue.
NEIDECKER'S DRUG STORE 116 Washington Avenue.
NEILL'S STATIONERY STORE 154 Washington Avenue.
OPMAN'S FURNITURE HOUSE 1700 Macdonald Avenue.
PACIFIC TIRE APPARATUS CO. 1413 Macdonald Avenue.
PALACE CANDY STORE 1214 Macdonald Avenue.
PERES' CIGAR STORE 710 Macdonald Avenue.
PIONEER MODEL CLOTHING 120 Macdonald Avenue.
RICHMOND SAMPLE SHOE STORE 326 Macdonald Avenue.
ROYAL BARBER SHOP 306 Macdonald Avenue.
SMITH FURNITURE CO. 109 W. Richmond Avenue.
WHITE ROSE FRUIT CO. 2236 Macdonald Avenue.
WHITING'S CIGAR STORE 930 Macdonald Avenue.
YE FLOWER SHOPPE 923 Macdonald Avenue.
YE WARDROBE 2228 Macdonald Avenue.
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WATCH THIS SPACE EVERY DAY AND SAVE MONEY

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$5000. Factory site 113x210 feet; NE corner Clinton avenue and 12th street, on Southern Pacific main line, on grade crossing. Well water near surface.

$5000. Factory site 130x200 feet; frontage on 12th street, 13th street and Southern Pacific main line.

$2500. Two lots 42x110 feet; SE corner 10th street and Clinton avenue including improvements.

$3800. Five lots 125x110 feet, SW corner 19th street and Clinton avenue including improvements.

$2750. Four lots 100x110 feet; NW corner 15th street and Clinton avenue including improvements.

$2000. Two lots 50x110 feet; SW corner 16th street and Clinton avenue including improvements.

$4000. NW corner 4th street and Cutting boulevard, frontage on Potrero avenue, 4th street and Cutting boulevard.

$3000. Four lots 91x100 feet; NE corner 23rd street and Cutting boulevard, including Cutting boulevard street work.

Large house and 14 lots in finest residence part of city.

Two lots 50x112 1-2 feet; corner on Macdonald avenue between 10th street and Southern Pacific station.

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"HOUSE OF FEATURES"

George Kleine Presents

Arthur Hoops and Alma Hanlon

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Five part Kleine-Edison Feature

Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Drew

Comedy

"IS CHRISTMAS A BORE?"

Bud Duncan and Edith Tears

THE CARETAKER'S DILEMMA

Tomorrow—Holbrook Blinn and Vivian Martin in "The Butterfly on the Wheel."

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF FILING SUPPLEMENTAL REPORT OF COMMISSIONERS IN THE MATTER OF WIDENING TWENTY-THIRD STREET SOUTHERLY FROM THE SOUTHERLY LINE OF THE ATCHISON, TOPEKA & SANTA FE RAILWAY COMPANY'S RIGHT OF WAY TO POTRERO AVENUE, ALL WITHIN THE CITY OF RICHMOND, COUNTY OF CONTRA COSTA, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, IN ACCORDANCE WITH RESOLUTION OF INTENTION NO. 167-2 OF THE COUNCIL OF THE SAID CITY OF RICHMOND, ADOPTED ON THE 29TH DAY OF APRIL, 1914.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the Commissioners appointed by the Council of the City of Richmond, County of Contra Costa, State of California, to assess the benefits and damages and have general supervision of the proposed work of widening said Twenty-third Street southerly from the southerly line of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railway company to Potrero Avenue, pursuant to and in accordance with Resolution of Intention No. 167-2, of the said Council of the City of Richmond, adopted the 29th day of April, 1914, having made their assessments of benefits and damages and having, on the 28th day of November, 1914, made a written report thereof to the Council of the City of Richmond, and having attached to said report a plat of said assessment district, which said report and plat were made and presented in all respects as required by law, and the Council of the City of Richmond, having by Resolution No. 167-2, ordered and directed said commissioners to make and report a supplementary assessment, said commissioners, in conformity with said Resolution No. 167-2 and the orders and directions therein contained, having made their supplementary assessment, and having made a written report thereof to the Council of the City of Richmond, and having attached to said report a plat of the said assessment district showing the land to be taken for said work or improvement and the land assessed by said supplementary assessment, showing the relative location of each district, lot or portion of lot, and its dimensions, so far as the Commissioners can reasonably ascertain the same; and said Commissioners having done all things required by law and by said Resolution No. 167-2 to be done;

NOW THEREFORE, public notice is hereby given that said supplementary report and plat were filed in the office of the undersigned, Clerk of the City of Richmond, on the 5th day of April, 1916, and in pursuance of the statutes made and provided. The undersigned, A. C. Faris, Clerk of the City of Richmond hereby gives notice of said filing of said supplementary report and plat; and all persons interested in such work and improvement are hereby notified and are required to show cause, if any they have, why such report should not be confirmed by said Council by filing objections in writing with the undersigned Clerk of the City of Richmond, at his office at the temporary city hall of the City of Richmond, No. 2020 Maine Avenue, in said City of Richmond, as required by law, on or before Monday, the 8th day of May, 1916, and up to the hour of 12:00 o'clock noon of said last named day, which said last named day is hereby fixed by the undersigned for that purpose.

Dated April 6, 1916.

(Seal) A. C. FARIS,

Clerk of the City of Richmond.

IT'S FOOLISH TO SUFFER

When So Many Richmond People Are Pointing the Way Out.

You may be brave enough to stand backache or headache or dizziness. But, if, in addition urination is disordered, look out! If you don't try to fix your sick kidneys, you may fall into the clutches of dangerous disease before you know it. But, if you live more carefully and help your kidneys with Doan's Kidney Pills, you can stop the pains you have and avoid future danger as well. Don't experiment—use the remedy Richmond people are publicly endorsing. Read this case:

Mrs. Mary C. Sutherland, 1829 Nevin Ave., Richmond, says: "One of my family had kidney complaint for years and spent hundreds of dollars trying to find relief. Finally, Doan's Kidney Pills were used and they brought great benefit. It was remarkable how Doan's Kidney Pills so thoroughly relieved this case, after other remedies had utterly failed."

Price 50¢, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Sutherland recommends. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y. advt

EDWARD ARDEN AT THE RICHMOND

A SCENE FROM "THE BELOVED VAGABOND" (PATHE).

The Richmond theater presents this evening a six reel Pathe colored Gold Rooster pal, "The Beloved Vagabond," the first colored photoplay of this length which has ever been shown in America.

The principal role is played by Edwin Arden, supported by a capable cast, including Bliss Milford and Kathryn Browne Decker.

The play was produced by Edwin Joss, and is taken from the famous novel by William J. Locke.

The story is of Gaston De Nerac, who was awarded the highest honor which a French architect may receive from the French government. Through a series of incidents, making up a stirring tale, he is reduced to a poverty stricken vagabond. Gaston takes the name of Paragot and in company with a lad named Augustus Smith, fifteen years of age starts on a pilgrimage, the lad having diligently read and having been much impressed by Paradise Lost." Paragot eventually finds in a cottage that which did not exist for a mansion.

CITY COUNCIL

OFFERS LOTS

Two lots for the erection of the fire house in the annexed district offered for sale at $300 each by the Richmond Land company were referred to the fire committee.

OFFICERS REPORT

Monthly reports of Health Officer Blake, Fire Chief Lamoine, Plumbing Inspector Fred Kreig and Sanitary Inspector Homer Wyatt were received and filed.

MORE TIME

Another week was granted the members of the fire committee in the matter of selecting a fire hose site in the annexed district.

ANOTHER WEEK.

The lighting committee was given one more week for the installation of an arc light at Sixteenth and Virginia streets.

BAY AVENUE

The matter of improving Bay avenue south was left in the hands of the city engineer and the street committee for another week.

LICENSE TRANSFER.

A transfr of the retail liquor license held by Ben Brignone was granted to Joseph Bartolozzi. The place of business is the Colombo hotel.

COMMITTEE

The request of D. C. McBryde that the liquor license held by him at 113 Macdonald be transfered to John Logan was referred to the license committee for another week.

IS ILL

Mrs. Wilbur S. Pierce, wife of the local attorney, is confined to the Fabiola hospital in Oakland with a minon illness.

NOTICE

All members of Alpha lodge of Masons are urged to be present at the meeting tonight in Bank hall at 8 o'clock. Matters of importance to be discussed. By order of

R. E. SLATTERY, W. M.

NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Contra Costa.

Oscar J. Hurt, Plaintiff, vs. Edgar Lee and Margaret M. Lee, his wife, John Doe, Richard Roe, Black-White Company and Mary Green, Defendants.

No. 6742, Dept. 1.

Under and by virtue of an order of sale issued out of the above entitled court the 8th day of April, 1916, and of a decree of foreclosure and sale duly made and entered the 4th day of April, 1916 in the above entitled action, wherein Oscar J. Hurt, the above named plaintiff, obtained a judgment and decree against Edgar Lee and Margaret M. Lee, his wife, defendants above named, the 4th day of April, 1916, which said decree or judgment was on said last named day recorded in Judgment Book Vol. 15 at page 386 thereof, I, the undersigned Commissioner, am commanded to sell all those certain lots, pieces and parcels of land situate, lying and being in the City of Richmond, County of Contra Costa, State of California, and more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Being lots thirty-four (34) and thirty-five (35) in block one hundred twenty-eight (128), as delineated upon that certain map entitled Amended Map of the City of Richmond, being a portion of lot No. 54 of the final partition of the San Pablo Rancho, Contra Costa County, Cal. Surveyed and delineated by H. D. Jarrett, C. E. January, 1905; recorded on the 31st day of March, 1905, in the office of the County Recorder of the County of Contra Costa, State of California.

Together with all the singular the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining.

AND NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that on Monday the 8th day of May, 1916, at 10 o'clock A. M. of that day in front of the court house at Martinez in the said County of Contra Costa, I will in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell all the above-described property or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy plaintiff's judgment, together with the legal interest thereon from the date hereof until paid, and costs incurred in the above entitled matter, after deducting the expenses of said sale; and that said sale will be made as aforesaid to the highest and best bidder for cash, in gold coin of the United States.

Dated April 11th, 1916.

A. E. DUNKEL, Commissioner.

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AT THE REGENT THEATRE

Holbrook Blinn (the most virile and decisive actor in motion pictures) and Vivian Martin (the daintiest star in filmdom) play opposite each other in World Film Corporation's presentation of "A Butterfly on the Wheel" based upon the stage play of the same name which was offered to the public a few years ago.

The story is that of a successful man of business who neglects his young wife. She in turn listens to the pleadings of an ardent admirer, but nevertheless remains true to her husband. The latter however, catching the couple in suspicious circumstances over which neither have control, seizes the opportunity of divorcing his wife. But after much unhappiness the couple is reunited.

This powerful story, which is here only faintly outlined, affords M. Tourneur the opportunity of introducing some startling and realistic effects, notably one illustrating the burning of a theater, the people in the doomed house barely escaping with their lives.

"A Butterfly on the Wheel" will be presented at the Regent theater on Wednesday.

A fascinating George Ade fable and a Mina Comedy from Blackstone to Stone will also be shown.

IS PROUD "DADDY"

Joseph Langley, former manager of the Richmond theater and at present in charge of the Republic theater at Vallejo is passing the cigars around following the arrival of a ten pound baby boy at his home.

BIG EATERS GET KIDNEY TROUBLE

Take a glass of Salts befort breakfast if your Back hurts or Bladder bothers you.

The American men and women must guard constantly against Kidney trouble, because we eat too much and all our food is rich. Our blood is filled with uric acid which the kidneys strive to filter out, they weaken from overwork, become sluggish; the eliminative tissues clog and the result is kidney trouble, bladder weakness and a general decline in health.

When your kidneys feel like lumps of lead; your back hurts or the urine is cloudy, full of sediment or you are obliged to seek relief two or three times during the night; if you suffer with sick headache or dizzy, nervous spells, acid stomach, or you have rheumatism when the weather is bad, get from your pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia and has been used for generations to flush and stimulate clogged kidneys; to neutralise the acids in the urine so it no longer is a source of irritation, thus ending bladder disorders.

Jad Salts is inexpensive; cannot injure, makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water beverage, and belongs in every home, because nobody can make a mistake by having a good kidney flushing any time.

Practical Economy

Baking powders made from alum or phosphate may be bought for a trifle less than Royal Baking Powder, which is made from cream of tartar, derived from grapes.

Alum powders are not only cheap, but they differ greatly in leavening power.

If a cheap baking powder is used for a fine cake and the cake turns out a failure there is a waste of costly materials worth more than a whole can of the cheap baking powder.

Royal Baking Powder produces the finest food, and its use therefore, results in an actual saving.

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BLUSTERING PASTOR SHOUTS PLOT STORY

CHICO, April 11.—A straw effigy of Rev. Madison Slaughter, pastor of the Baptist church of this city, alleged despoiler of 15-year-old Gertrude Lamson, a former member of his flock, dangling in gruesome realism from a tree in the city plaza greeted the eyes of early morning risers yesterday.

The image hung almost over the sidewalk at the edge of the park on Fifth street, directly in front of the new federal post office building. Across the effigy was a crudely lettered and misspelled caption, "Slauter."

Scores had viewed the object before the authorities learned of its presence. As the news spread throngns gathered and stood jesting and jibing until the street was thronged.

Marshal M. H. Goe later had the effigy removed and deposited in one of the corridors of the city hall. A half-hour later it was gone.

"Did you see the man in the city park this morning?" Rev. Slaughter asked of his congregation at the sermon last night. "This is the lowest down and most rotten piece of work I have ever known," he said. "It shows just what some curs think about, and the persons who did it are the kind that are afraid to come out in the open. They are cowards and curs. Do you think that those persons who would carry such a crime to completion would wait three months? No. The guilty persons are the kind who would do the things I am charged with. It is the biggest proof of a plot in connection with this case."

ANNUAL BALL

Miramar chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, will hold its annual ball at East Shore park on the evening of May 19th.

3 CONTRA COSTA TOWNS ELECTED NEW OFFICERS

MARTINEZ, April 11.—Trustees for three Contra Costa towns were elected last night. They are:

Concord—Treasurer, F. W. Foskett; clerk, Wayman Ballenger; trustees, E. J. Randall, Henry Bott, Clark Jaquth.

Walnut Creek—Treasurer, Armand Stow; clerk, Mary A. Ridgeway; trustees, W. S. Burpee, Stephen Dwing, C. J. Bord, J. E. Lawrence, H. F. Spencer.

Martinez—Treasure, C. H. Lyford; clerk, C. E. Daley; trustees, Frank R. Jones, E. A. Majors, John March, C. H. Hayden.

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE

Standing of the Clubs

	W.	L.	Pct.
Los Angeles	5	2	.714
Oakland	4	2	.666
San Francisco	4	3	.571
Portland	3	4	.429
Salt Lake	2	4	.333
Vernon	2	5	.286

This Week's Series

At San Francisco—Oakland vs. Portland.

At Salt Lake—Los Angeles vs. Salt Lake.

At Los Angeles—San Francisco vs. Vernon.

TEA PARTY

The Ladies' Aid society of the Wesley M. E. church will hold a tea party at the home of Mrs. E. L. Jones, 708 Chanslor avenue tomorrow afternoon.

Like an Easter Parade

In the magnificence, the incomparable Beauty scintillating through the Brilliant array of Suits, a Pleasing Look of Springtime is Pictured

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As a Part of that Monster 2000-Suit Purchase of the Wholesaler's Entire Late Spring Line, we Enter these Suits as a Prelude to the Festival of Easter at Prices that are Entitled to immediate consideration of every woman in Oakland

$49.50 Suits **$22.75** *$39.50 Suits* **$18.75** *$35.00 Suits* **$16.75** *$29.50 Suits* **$13.75**

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